



## **BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006**

### **Meade , South Dakota [46093]**

Meade is one of 66 counties in South Dakota. It is part of the [Rapid City, SD \(MSA\)](#). Its 2006 population of 24,319 ranked 7th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2006 Meade had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$33,575. This PCPI ranked 12th in the state and was 105 percent of the state average, \$32,030, and 91 percent of the national average, \$36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.7 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 1.5 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Meade was \$18,234 and ranked 51st in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.1 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2006 Meade had a total personal income (TPI) of \$816,500\*. This TPI ranked 7th in the state and accounted for 3.2 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Meade was \$444,031\* and ranked 8th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 1.9 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 2.6 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Meade. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 70.3 percent of TPI (compared with 67.9 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 16.8 percent (compared with 19.7 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 12.9 percent (compared with 12.4 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 0.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.5 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 6.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.7 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Meade increased from \$425,435\* in 2005 to \$431,721\* in 2006, an increase of 1.5 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 1.1 percent and the national change was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of \$220,905\* to the 2006 estimate was 6.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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